November 2, 1977 SPMC Box 366 Hinsdale, Illinois 60521 Eric Newman 6450 Cecil Avenue St. Louis, Missouri 63105 Dear Eric: Thank you for your letter of October 19th. A completion date three or four years out is certainly no problem from my point of view since we are not financially able to publish all of the states immediately anyway.

You are the Chief Researcher for the state of Missouri. As such, I can assure you that you will have the final say as to whether or not you want a co-author. As I see it, you will also play a key role in virtually all other matters regarding the manuscript.

I'm just out here to offer you any assistance which I can as well as to act as a single point for coordination and review of the various manuscripts when the authors feel that they are completed.

If I can be of any future assistance, please feel free to get in touch.

Cordially,

Wendell Wolka

cc: Bob Medlar